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## Rutherford County Annual Rabies Clinics to be held April 21-Arpil 26, 2014

Murfreesboro, Tennessee, April 10, 2014 — Rutherford County Pet Adoption and Welfare Services, in cooperation with the Rutherford County Veterinary Society, will hold the annual Rabies Vaccination Clinics in Rutherford County starting Monday, April 21st through Saturday, April 26th, 2014. Residents are encouraged to contact their veterinarian for hours, locations and pricing. PAWS will be offering this service along with microchipping at their location at 285 John R. Rice Blvd, Murfreesboro from 12pm-6pm Monday to Friday and from 11am-2pm on Saturday.

"Rutherford County Rules and Regulations and Tennessee Code 68-8-103 require that dogs and cats be vaccinated against rabies" states Dr. Debrina Dills, PAWS Veterinarian. "This is a great time to make sure that your animals are current on their rabies vaccination. Thus far this year, Rutherford County has confirmed five cases of rabies in skunks that have come in contact with domestic animals. Ensuring your animal is current can drastically change the Department of Health's plan of action in these situations" adds Dills.